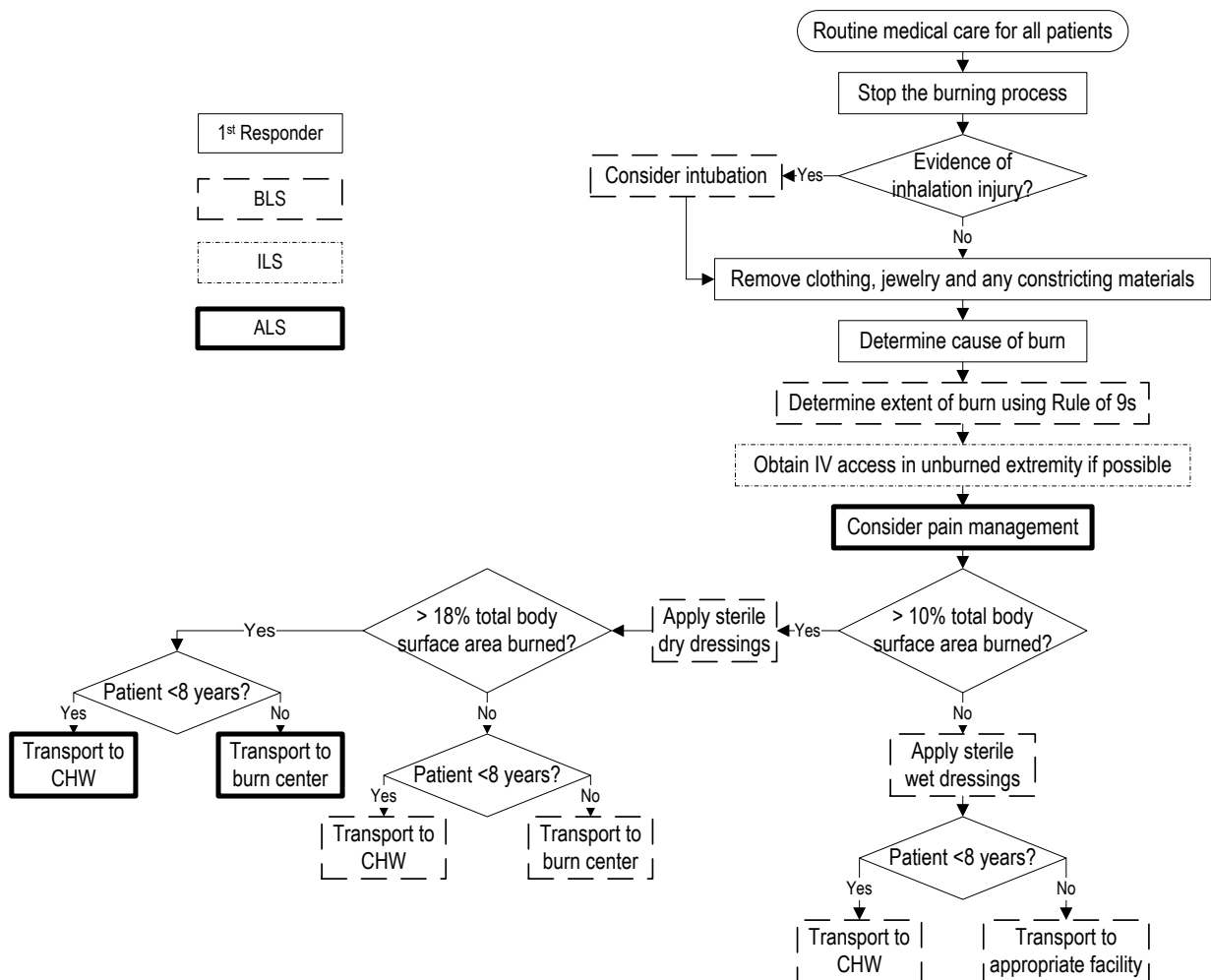


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**MILWAUKEE COUNTY EMS
STANDARD OF CARE
BURNS**

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| History: | Signs/Symptoms: | Working Assessment: |
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| Type of burn: thermal, electrical, chemical, radiation Inhalation injury Confined space Associated trauma Loss of consciousness | Burn, pain, swelling Dizziness/ loss of consciousness Hypotension/shock Airway compromise/distress Singled facial or nasal hair Hoarseness Soot in airway passages | 1 st degree - red and painful 2 nd degree (partial thickness)-blistering 3 rd degree (full thickness) - painless and charred or leather-like appearance |



NOTES:

- Burn patients who also sustained major/multiple trauma must be transported to the Trauma Center.
- Patients who suffered electrical injury must have continuous ECG monitoring en rout to the hospital.